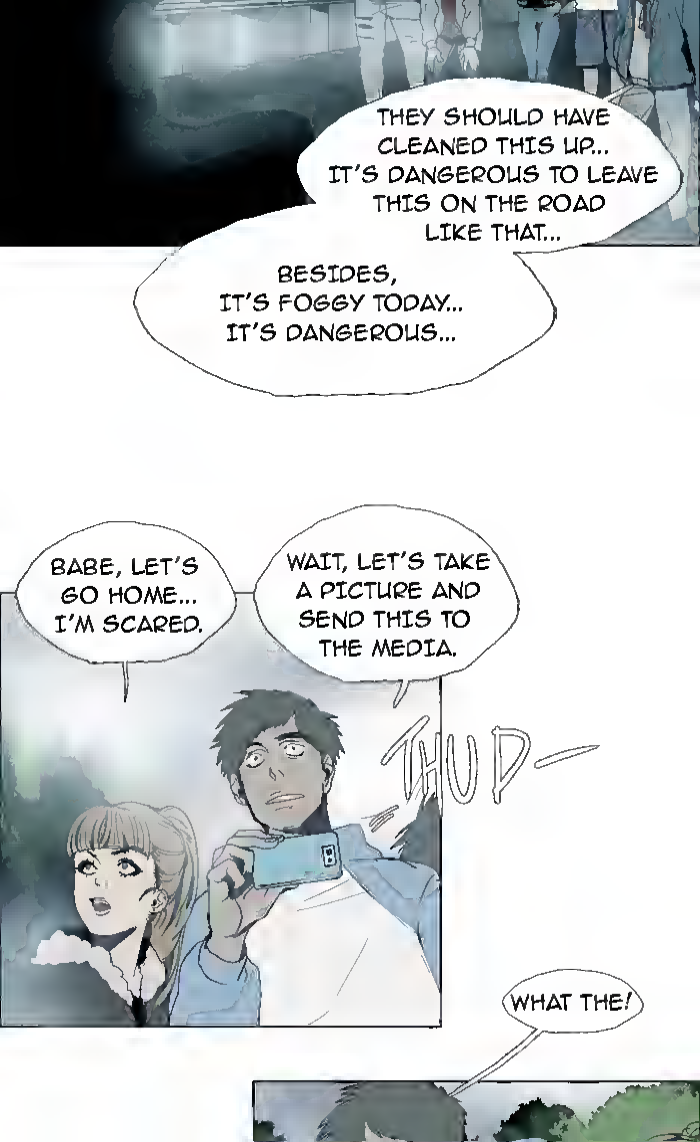
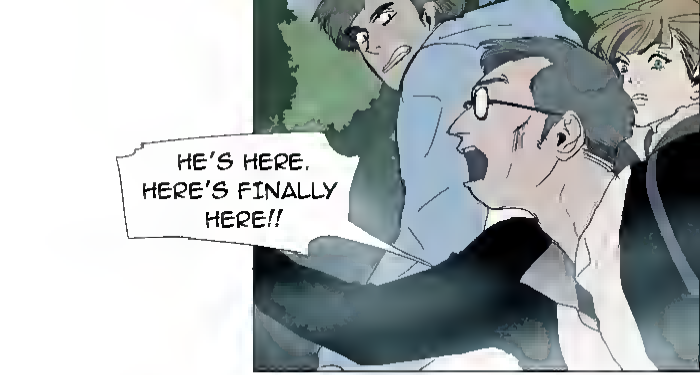
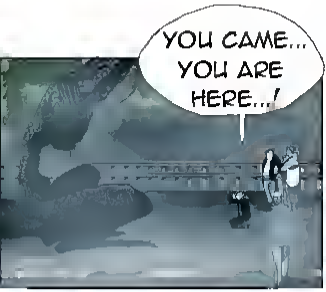
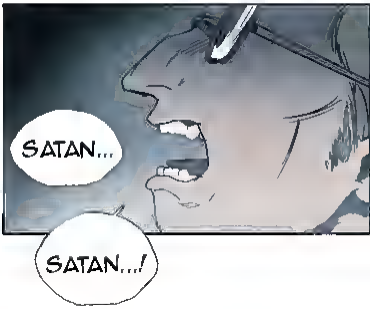
WHAT THE... HECK IS THAT...?


THEY SHOULD HAVE CLEANED THIS UP... IT'S DANGEROUS TO LEAVE THIS ON THE ROAD LIKE THAT...
BESIDES, IT'S FOGGY TODAY... IT'S DANGEROUS...
BABE, LET'S GO HOME... I'M SCARED.
WAIT, LET'S TAKE A PICTURE AND SEND THIS TO THE MEDIA.
THUD—
WHAT THE!


HE'S HERE.
HERE'S FINALLY
HERE!!

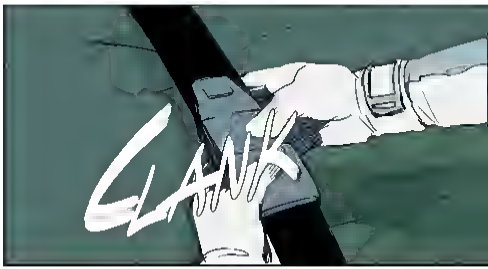

YOU CAME...
YOU ARE
HERE...!


SATAN...
SATAN...!

PLEASE! TAKE ME!
TAKE ME WITH YOU TO YOUR KINGDOM!!
PLEASE, SATAN! OFFER ME AN OPPORTUNITY!!
WHAT THE FU*K!
IS HE NUTS OR WHAT?!
SNATCH
HEY, MAN... YOU SHOULD STOP!

WHY ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT SATAN SO EARLY IN THE MORNING! IT'S BAD LUCK!!
YOU WANNA DIE!!
SATAN WILL PUNISH YOU...!!
SSH

ZIP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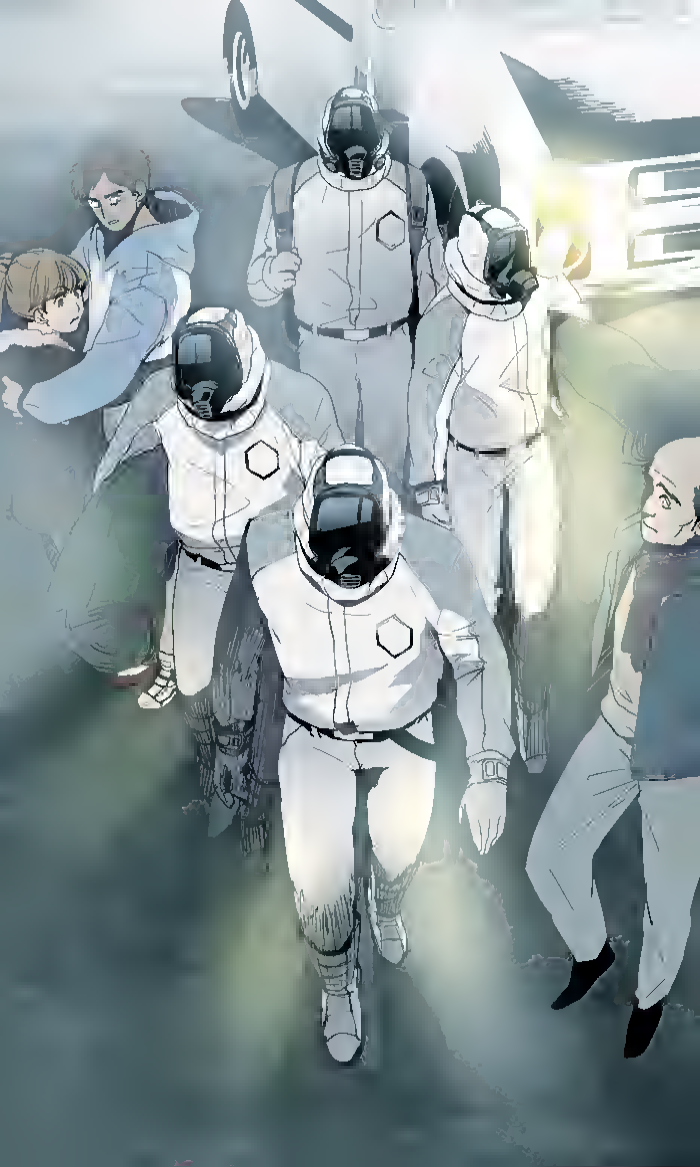

WHAT AGENCY ARE YOU GUYS FROM? WHAT IS THAT MONSTER?
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ROGER

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THE AGENCY THAT WAS WITNESSED IS ASSUMED TO BE H.A.I.S, THE NATIONAL BIOTECHNOLOGY ASSOCIATION.
THE GOVERNMENT HAS NOT YET ANNOUNCED ANY OFFICIAL STATEMENTS AT THE MOMENT.
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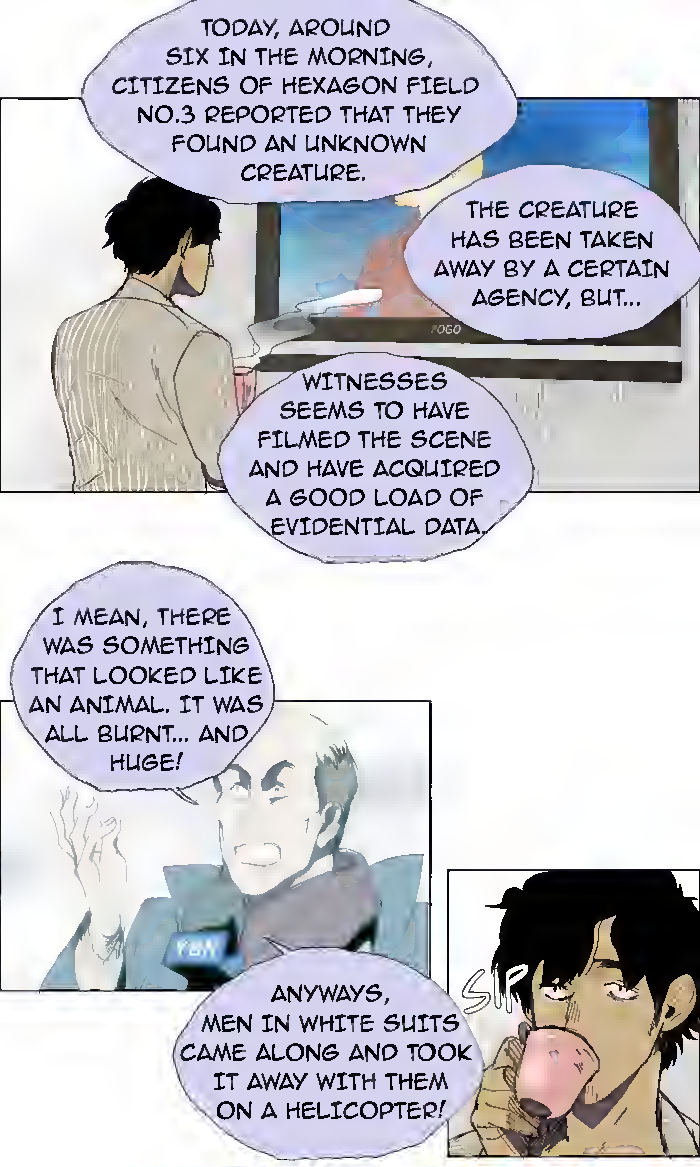
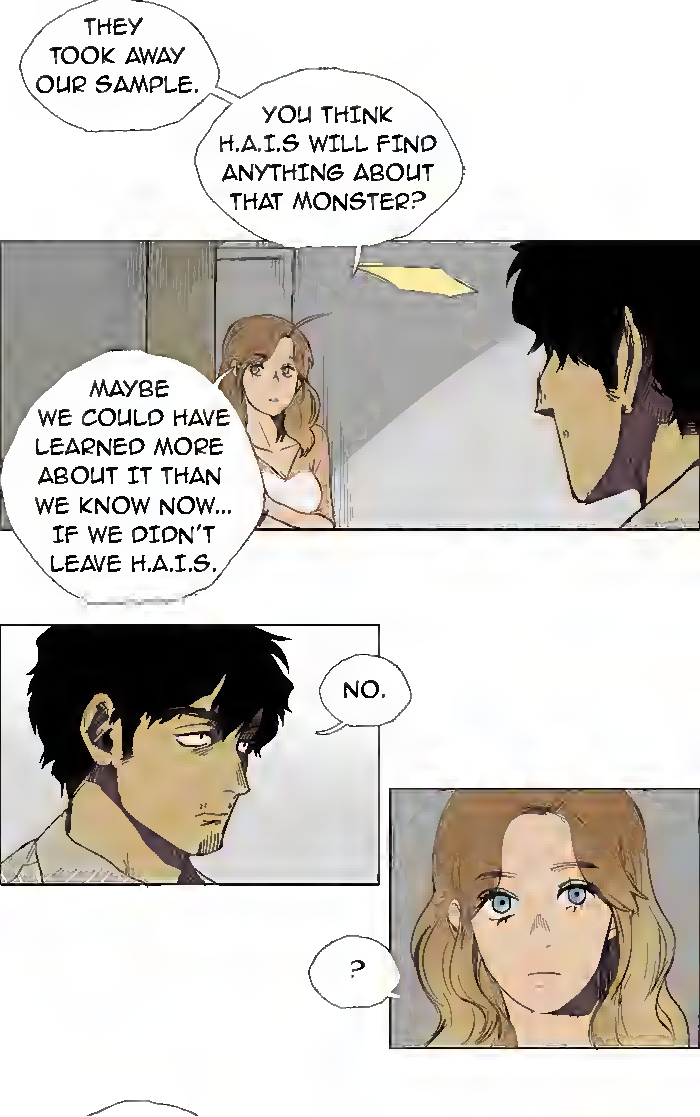
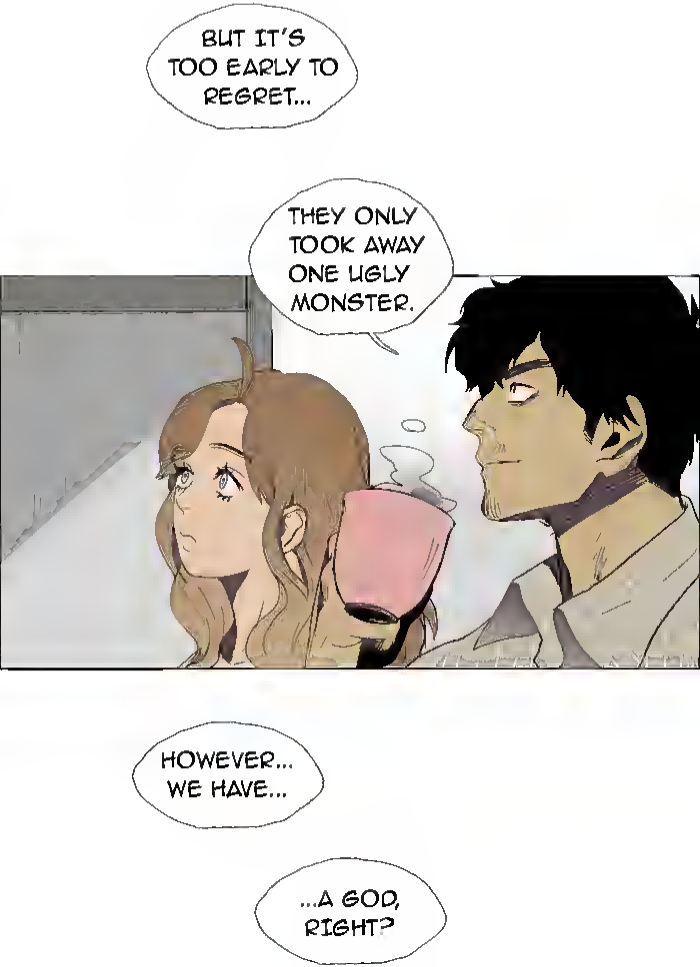
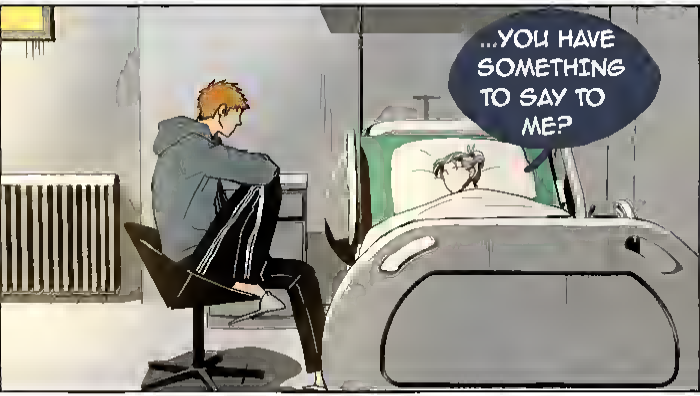

TODAY, AROUND SIX IN THE MORNING, CITIZENS OF HEXAGON FIELD NO.3 REPORTED THAT THEY FOUND AN UNKNOWN CREATURE.
THE CREATURE HAS BEEN TAKEN AWAY BY A CERTAIN AGENCY, BUT...
WITNESSES SEEMS TO HAVE FILMED THE SCENE AND HAVE ACQUIRED A GOOD LOAD OF EVIDENTIAL DATA.
I MEAN, THERE WAS SOMETHING THAT LOOKED LIKE AN ANIMAL. IT WAS ALL BURNT... AND HUGE!
YBN
SIP
ANYWAYS, MEN IN WHITE SUITS CAME ALONG AND TOOK IT AWAY WITH THEM ON A HELICOPTER!

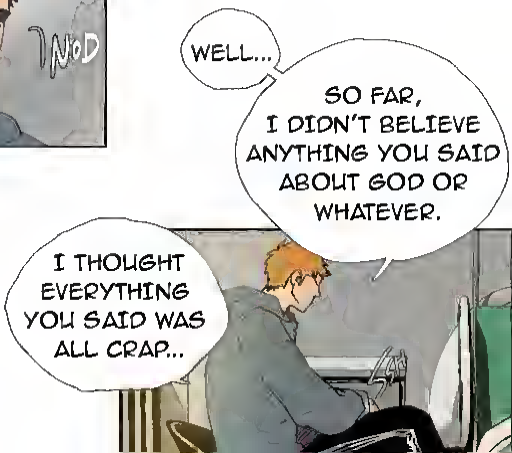

THEY TOOK AWAY OUR SAMPLE.
YOU THINK H.A.I.S WILL FIND ANYTHING ABOUT THAT MONSTER?
MAYBE WE COULD HAVE LEARNED MORE ABOUT IT THAN WE KNOW NOW... IF WE DIDN'T LEAVE H.A.I.S.
NO.
?

WE WERE THE BEST IN THE LAB.
IF WE CAN'T DO IT, THEY CAN'T EITHER.
BEST... YEAH WELL... I COULD SAY WE WERE THE BEST AT BEING STUPID...
WE QUIT... FOR WHAT?
WELL... YOU HAVE A POINT...


BUT IT'S TOO EARLY TO REGRET...
THEY ONLY TOOK AWAY ONE UGLY MONSTER.
HOWEVER... WE HAVE...
...A GOD, RIGHT?


...YOU HAVE SOMETHING TO SAY TO ME?

NOD


WELL...
SO FAR, I DIDN'T BELIEVE ANYTHING YOU SAID ABOUT GOD OR WHATEVER.
I THOUGHT EVERYTHING YOU SAID WAS ALL CRAP...

...I DON'T KNOW WHY YOU WERE CHOSEN.
HOW COME YOU CAN'T ANSWER A SINGLE QUESTION I ASK YOU?
BUT I CAN TELL YOU THAT YOU ARE MIS-UNDERSTANDING SOMETHING.
MISUNDERSTANDING?
HE DOESN'T HELP ME ANYMORE.

BUT NOW... I'M QUITE SURE THAT THERE IS SOMETHING WATCHING OVER ME...
BUT... WHY ME?
WHY WOULD IT GIVE ME POWER? WHAT HAVE I DONE TO EARN IT?
WOULDN'T IT BE BETTER TO JUST GIVE YOU BACK THAT POWER?

WE DON'T SEE EYE TO EYE, SO WE GO DIFFERENT WAYS NOW.
I BELIEVE YOU HUMANS SAY... "WE HAD AN ARGUMENT"...
ARGUMENT? YOU GUYS HAD A FIGHT?
GODS... FIGHT WITH EACH OTHER?
THAT'S RIGHT... SO, KEEP YOUR VOICE DOWN.

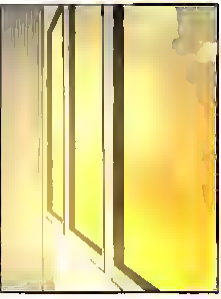
IT SHOULD BE A SECRET... HUMANS WILL BE WORRIED...
NO ONE CAN HEAR US, STUPID...
HE DID NOT WANT ME TO BLEND IN AMONGST HUMANS.
IT WAS OVER FOR US THE DAY I CAME DOWN TO THIS WORLD.
MAYBE HE GAVE YOU THE POWER TO YOU, NOT ANYONE ELSE... TO MAKE ME SUFFER...

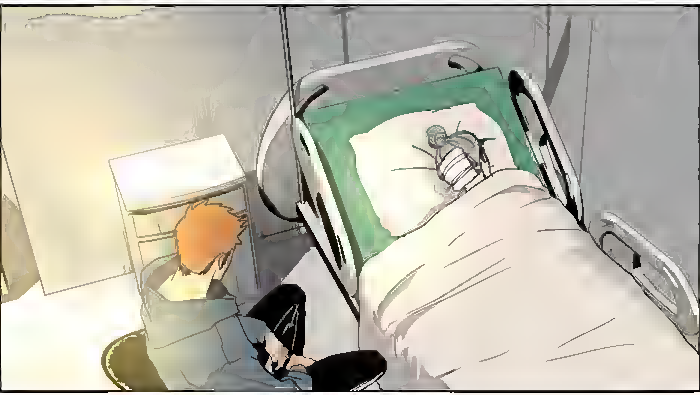
OF ALL MEN... TO YOU...

SSH

YOU SHOULD GO NOW.

I WILL GET BETTER AS QUICKLY AS I CAN.





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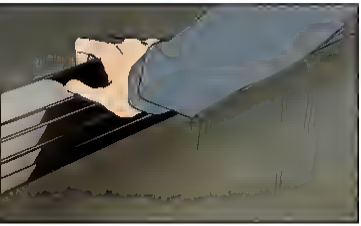
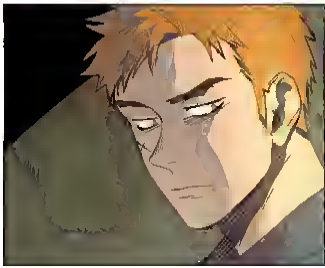
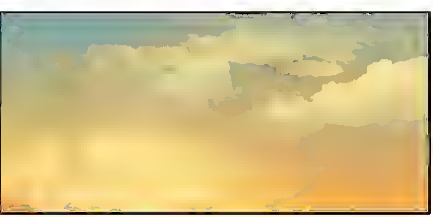


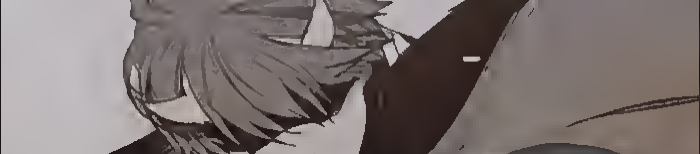


HEY, YOU.
I DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU'RE BEING SO LEERY ABOUT,

BUT I DON'T WANNA GET INVOLVED IN ANY OF THE GODS' BUSINESS.
YOU UNDERSTAND?
...I MEAN, I'M JUST A HUMAN BEING...
CLICK



WHATEVER THE REASON IS, THIS IS A GOD-GIVEN OPPORTUNITY.
EVEN IF I FIND YOU, I WOULDN'T HAVE BEEN ABLE TO DO ANYTHING...
THIS IS HOW WEAK YOU ARE...

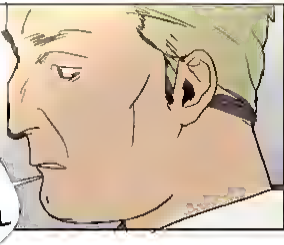

YOU CAN'T SAVE ME!

PHEW...

MR. PRESIDENT.

NOT ONLY THE CITIZENS OUTSIDE THE FIELD, BUT ALSO THE ONES LIVING INSIDE ARE STARTING TO PANIC, SIR.

I THINK... IT WOULD BE BEST IF THERE'S AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT...



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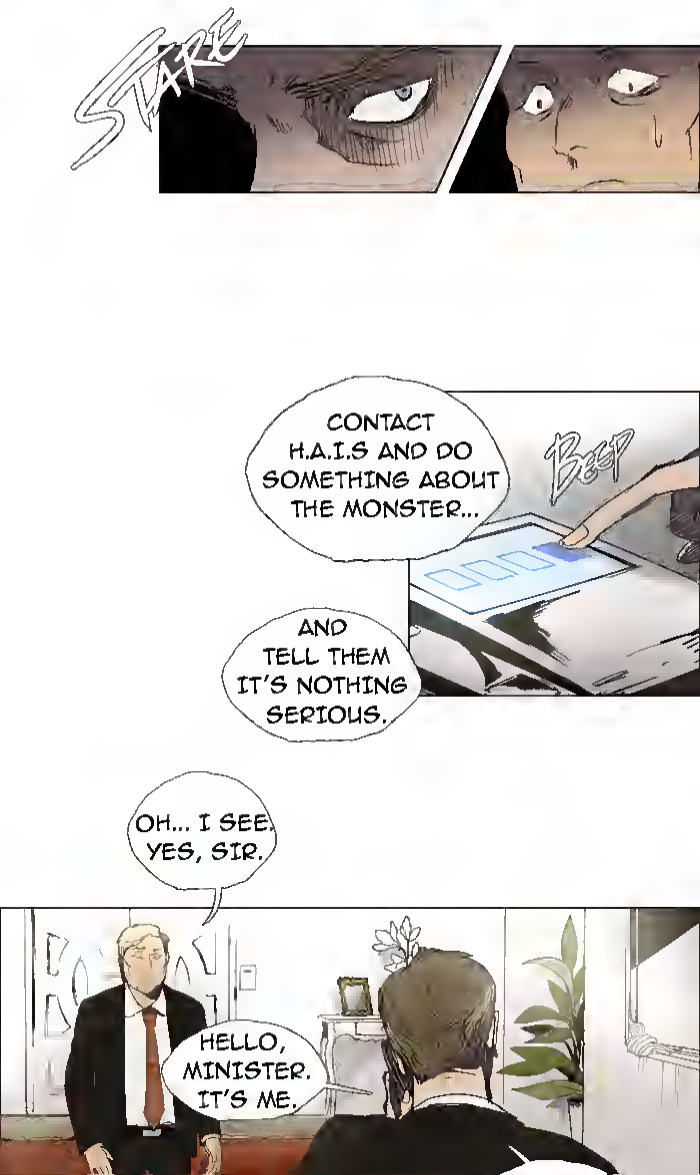
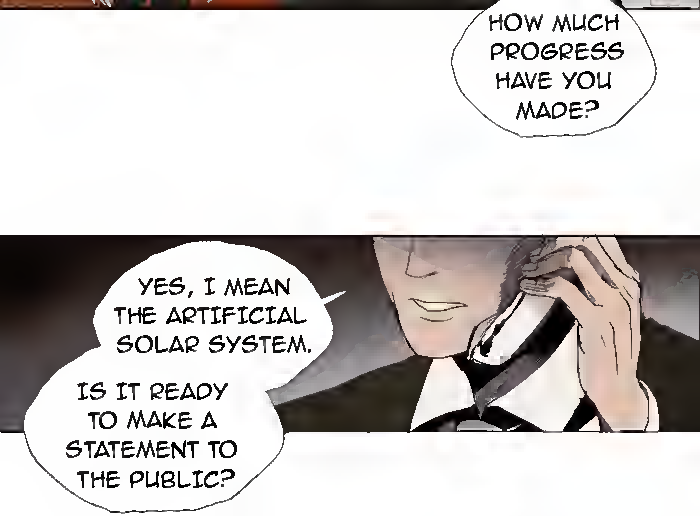
SIR?
I'M NOT DEAF.
YOU COULDN'T HANDLE THIS QUIETLY...?
WELL...
THE WITNESSES AND THE MEDIA GOT A HOLD OF IT BEFORE WE COULD DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT...


STARE
CONTACT H.A.I.S AND DO SOMETHING ABOUT THE MONSTER...
BEEP
AND TELL THEM IT'S NOTHING SERIOUS.
OH... I SEE. YES, SIR.
HELLO, MINISTER. IT'S ME.



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